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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Title of Application: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE START OF A MATCH OF A REGULAR EXPRESSION

Type of Application (37 C.F.R. 1.53(b))

This application is a(n):

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[] Continuing application:

[] Divisional

[] Continuation

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of Serial No. ____, filed on __

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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2. 1.53(b		sed Pap rs R quir d t Obtain Applicati n Filing Dat und r 37 CFR							
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3.	Oath o	or Declaration							
	[X] -	Newly executed Oath or Declaration (original or copy) is enclosed.							
	 [] Copy of Oath or Declaration from prior application (37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)) [] The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or Declaration is supplied, is considered as being a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporate by reference therein. 								
	[X]	With Power of Attorney [] Without Power of Attorney							
4.	Additi	Additional Papers Enclosed							
	[X] Return Receipt Postcard (specifically itemized) (M.P.E.P. § 503).[] Preliminary Amendment.								
	[]	Information Disclosure Statement (37 CFR 1.98).							
		[] Form PTO-1449 [] Copies of IDS Citations							
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•	[]	Certified Copy of Priority Document(s). Verified translation of non-English language application (37 C.F.R. 1.52(d).							
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6. F Calculati n (37 CFR 1.16)

Regular Application (37 CFR 1.16(a))

Basic Fee

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Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	6	-	3	=	3	×	\$ 86.00	=	\$2	58.00
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[] Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed.

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7. Small Entity Statement

[X] Applicant qualifies as a Small Entity under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

[]		as a small entity was claimed in prior application 08/ t is being claimed for this application under:	_, from which				
		[] 35 U.S.C. 119(e),					
		[] 35 U.S.C. 120,					
		[] 35 U.S.C. 121,					
		[] 35 U.S.C. 365(c),	•				
	and which status as a small entity is still proper and desired.						
•	[]	A copy of the verified statement in the prior application i	s enclosed.				
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